

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 2-57, without prejudice or disclaimer of subject matter. The following is a complete listing of claims and replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in the present application:

Claim 1 (original): An image communication apparatus to which a data processing terminal is connectable, said apparatus comprising:

data communication means for communicating image data via a data communication link;

data converting means for converting image data received from said data communication means and character data received from the data processing terminal to provide converted data; and

data reproducing means for reproducing the converted data.

Claims 2-57 (canceled).